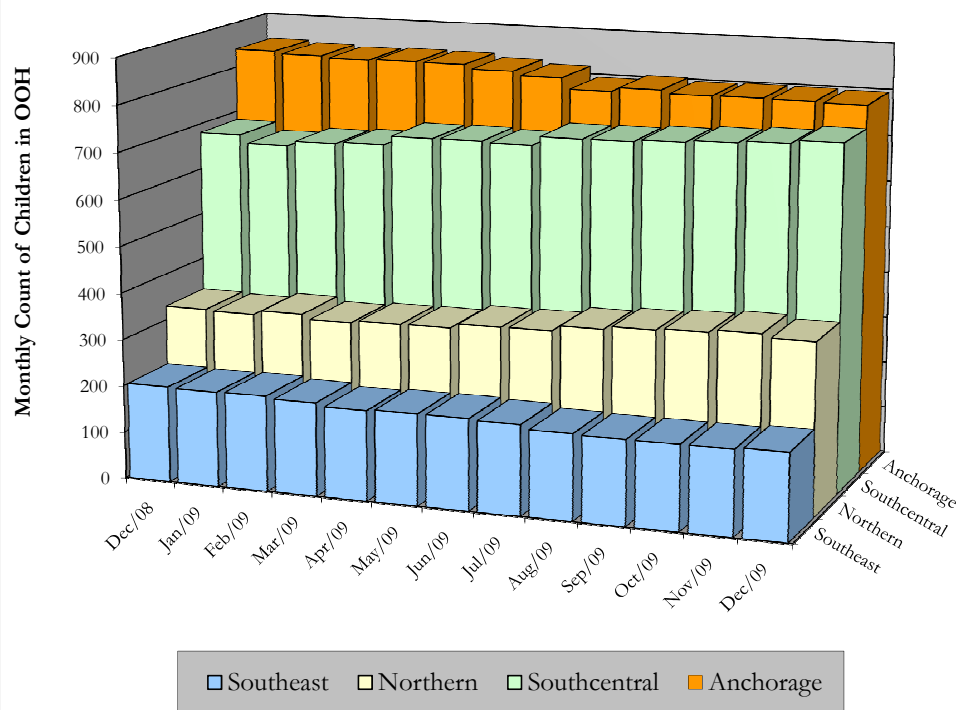


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement between December, 2008, and December, 2009, by Region.

Region	Dec-08	Jan-09	Feb-09	Mar-09	Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09
Anchorage	843	838	834	836	835	826	817	793	802	795	796	795	793
Northern	334	331	340	330	335	336	346	347	359	366	370	376	368
Southcentral	684	666	677	681	701	702	699	719	720	725	730	735	743
Southeast	206	204	205	200	193	196	196	193	184	182	182	182	186
Total	2,067	2,039	2,056	2,047	2,064	2,060	2,058	2,052	2,065	2,068	2,078	2,088	2,090

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.

Year at a Glance



Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly_ooh_web.sas.

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